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Docket No. : 45974/CAB/B696
Inventor(s) : Martina E. Werner, Ramon M. Valencia, Jorma Virtanen and Jim V. Zoval
Title : SURFACE ASSEMBLY FOR IMMOBILIZING DNA CAPTURE PROBES AND BEAD-BASED ASSAY INCLUDING OPTICAL BIO-DISCS AND METHODS RELATING THERETO
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ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: December 21, 2001

1. ☒ FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing).

2. IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION

_____ This application is a _____ of patent application No. _____

Prior application information: Examiner ; Group Art Unit:

☒ This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4), to Provisional Application Nos. 60/257,705, 60/259,806, 60/292,110, and 60/313,917.

3. APPLICATION COMPRISED OF

Specification

64 Specification, claims and Abstract (total pages)

Drawings

25 Sheets of formal drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to 25)

Declaration and Power of Attorney

☒ Newly executed
____ Unexecuted declaration
____ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation and divisional)

4. _____ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

5. _____ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

____ Computer Readable Copy
____ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
____ Statement verifying identity of above copies

6. APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27

☒ Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL ENTITY

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7. ALSO ENCLOSED ARE

- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
 - ☐ Includes "Cross-Reference to Related Applications"
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for the parent application and the required fee are enclosed
- ☐ An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed
- ☐ This application is owned by pursuant to an Assignment recorded at Reel , Frame
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
 - ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☐ Certified copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
- ☐ English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized).
- ☐ Other

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FEE DETERMINATION

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	69 - 20	49	49 x \$9.00	x \$18.00	\$441.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	25 - 3	22	24 x \$42.00	x \$84.00	\$1,008.00
MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE			\$140.00	\$280.00	\$3,080.00
BASIC FEE			\$370.00	\$740.00	\$370.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$4,899.00
List Independent Claims: 1, 6, 11, 16, 21, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 38, 39, 40, 41, 43, 50, 51, 52, 53, 57, 58 & 59					

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Payment Enclosed: Check for \$4899.00
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **entire pendency** of the application to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

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